## **Typing Certificates**

When indicated on a job announcement, a certified typing certificate must be submitted along with a City application in order to demonstrate the minimum typing requirement. Certification may be in the form of a certificate, letter or test results form that clearly states the following:

- 1. Full name of the applicant
- 2. Date the test was administered (must be within one year prior to the application date)
- 3. Duration of the test (5 minutes minimum)
- 4. Net/gross words per minute
- 5. Number of errors
- 6. Name, address and telephone number of the issuing agency
- 7. Name and signature of the person certifying the certificate

Typing certificates may be obtained from a business school, vocational training center, employment agency or other related agency. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that certificates issued by any agency, including those listed below, meet the requirements stated above. **Online typing certificates will not be accepted.** Please be aware that most agencies only accept cash payments and will require a photo I.D. It is best to call the agency directly to ask about their requirements.

For your convenience, examples of approved local agencies are listed below. However, you are free to obtain certificates from other accredited schools or agencies.

## **Examples of Approved Agencies:**

NOVA-Private Industry Council 505 W. Olive Avenue, #550 Sunnyvale, CA 94086 408-730-7232

Western Staff Services 2025 Gateway Place #240 San Jose, CA 95110 408-441-1141

Certified Employment Group 2105 S. Bascom Ave, Suite 386 Campbell, CA 95088 408-626-7127

Manpower 480 S Ellsworth San Mateo, CA 94401 650-342-2700

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AppleOne 5353 Alamaden Expressway, Suite E-41 San Jose, CA 95118 408-978-1880

Volt Workforce Solutions 5201 Great America Pkwy. Suite 432 Santa Clara, CA 95054 408-764-0100

South San Francisco Adult Education 825 Southwood Dr. San Francisco, CA 94080 650-877-8844

JobTrain 1200 O'Brian Dr. Menlo Park, CA 94025 650-330-6429